

Physical Education Curriculum Analysis Tool Workshop

The Physical Education Curriculum Analysis Tool (PECAT) is an assessment tool developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Division of Adolescent and School Health (CDC-DASH), in partnership with physical education experts representing state education agencies, school districts, schools, colleges, and national organizations. The PECAT helps school districts to conduct a clear, complete, and consistent analysis of written physical education curricula (grades K-12), for delivery of high-quality physical education in schools.

Schedule: The PECAT workshop is a 15 hour training and is held from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. over the course of two days.

Target Audience: School teams made up of a <u>minimum</u> of three individuals are eligible to attend this *FREE* Training. Team members may include:

- Curriculum Directors
- Administrators
- School Board Members
- Institutions of Higher Education
- Physical Educators
- Advocates

Workshop Goals: Users of the PECAT will be able to help their school:

- conduct a thorough analysis of the written physical education curriculum;
- select or develop effective curricula:
- create a curriculum improvement plan;
- provide quality curriculum and instruction, programs and services that promote enjoyable, lifelong physical activity;
- increase participation in physical activity through physical education.

Credit Information: The PECAT workshop is offered for one graduate credit or for Teacher Renewal Credit through the Department of Education at no charge. Participants may also take the course for no credit.

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